

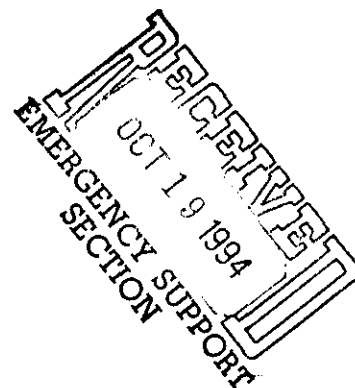
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## arlington plating company

OCTOBER 10, 1994

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ENFORCEMENT SPECIALIST  
U. S. EPA - REGION V  
EMERGENCY SUPPORT SECTION HSE-5J  
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD  
CHICAGO IL 60604



RE: HSE - 5J/EERB  
CONSERVATION CHEMICAL COMPANY  
of ILLINOIS, INC. SITE, GARY, INDIANA  
GENERAL NOTICE OF POTENTIAL LIABILITY

We would be willing to discuss the entry of an appropriate administrative consent order under which we would be responsible for the financing of activities for this site. Said order should limit Arlington Plating Company to its prorata share of the cost commensurate with its share of the waste. (If the total cost is TEN MILLION DOLLARS - \$10,000,000 times 0.01 percent equals our prorata cost of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS - \$1,000)

Our contact is:

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We plan on attending the, November 10, 1994, meeting at 10:30 a.m. at the Ramada Congress Hotel, 520 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago Illinois 60605.

We are not involved in any discussions with State of local authorities or currently involved in any lawsuits regarding this facility. Depending on the proposals at this meeting, we wish to keep our options open regarding hiring outside legal counsel and the possibility of joining a deminimus group represented by Ted Hadzi-Antich of Buffalo, New York.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "T. Gault", written over a horizontal line.

Theodore D. Gault



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